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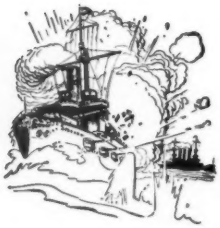

MUSTACHIOED, bulky and calm, Jack Philip stood on the bridge of the U.S.S. *Texas,* watching his gunners pour fire into the Spanish men-of-war fleeing Santiago harbor.

Only a few days before, another American ship had accidentally fired at the *Texas.* Philip had responded by signalling: "Thanks, good line, but a little over."

Now enemy shells were whistling over his head from desperate vessels doomed to destruction. As the *Texas* raced past the flaming, riddled *Vizcaya,* that Spanish battleship exploded.

Instantly, a great victorious shout sprang up on the *Texas.* But Captain Philip quickly silenced it:

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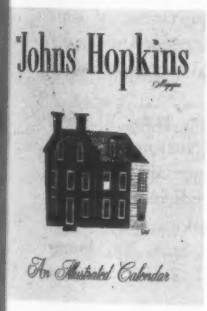

The Cover

This is an issue devoted to showing the buildings on the Homewood campus of Johns Hopkins, and the cover drawing is a kind of summing-up: an impression of the Georgian architecture that characterizes the Homewood group. And for the new year, there is a new design for the title of the magazine.

DRAWING BY GIL WALKER

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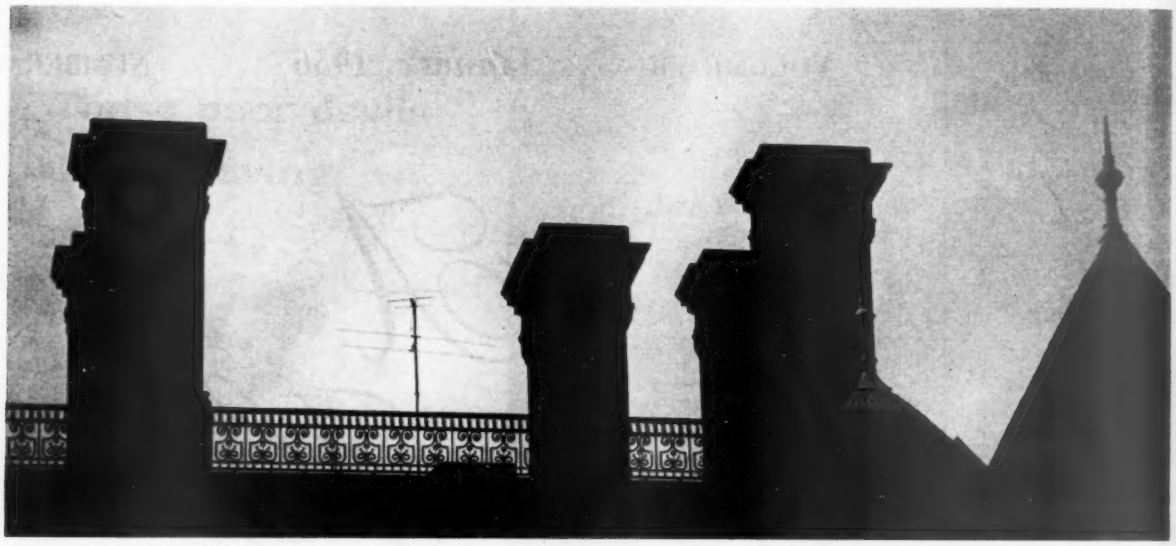

ROBERT M. MOTTAR, SCOPE

A Victorian roofline at the Hopkins Hospital, post-TV

BOOKS

Alton Parker Balder, B.A. '50, with an introduction by George Boas, professor of the history of philosophy: *Six Maryland Artists* (Balboa, $6.50).

Rachel Louise Carson, M.A. '32, G. '32–'33 (Zoology): *The Edge of the Sea* (Houghton Mifflin, $3.95).

Tobias Dantzig, Fac. '19–'20 (Mathematics): *The Bequest of the Greeks* (Scribner's, $3.95).

Ralph K. Davidson, M.A. '53, PH.D. '54 (Political Economy): *Price Discrimination in Selling Gas and Electricity* (Johns Hopkins, $3.50).

Phyllis Greenacre, House Staff '16–'20, Fac. '17–'28 (Psychiatry): *Swift and Carroll: A Psychoanalytic Study of Two Lives* (International Universities, $5).

Herbert Insley, PH.D. '19 (Geology), and Van Derck Frechette: *Microscopy of Ceramics and Cements* (Academic, $7.50).

Majud Khadduri, professor of Middle East studies, SAIS: *War and Peace in the Law of Islam* (Johns Hopkins, $5.50).

Gustav J. Martin, SC.D. '35 (Hygiene): *Biological Antagonism* (Blakiston, $8.50).

Lynn Poole, director of public relations: *Diving for Science* (Whittlesey House, $2.75).

Joseph H. Pratt, M.D. '98: *Fifty Years in Group Psychotherapy*, published by a group of Dr. Pratt's associates to commemorate his pioneering work.

Josiah Royce, PH.D. '78, LL.D. '02, Lecturer '05–'06 (Philosophy): *Royce's Synoptic Vision* by J. Loewenberg, published by the department of philosophy of the Johns Hopkins University as part of the centennial commemorating Royce's birth.

Gordon S. Seagrave, M.D. '21: *My Hospital in the Hills* (Norton, $3.75).

Owsei Temkin, associate professor of the history of medicine: *Soranus' Gynecology* (Johns Hopkins, $5).

J. Edwards Tether, M.D. '38, James H. Otto, and Cloyd J. Julian: *Modern Health* (Holt).

John H. Wellington, Fac. '50–'51 (Geography): *Southern Africa: A Geographical Study*, vol. I (Cambridge, $12.50).

CALENDAR PHOTOS

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THE FACULTY

AT THE JOHNS HOPKINS HOSPITAL, Harry Allan Price has been appointed director of clergy services. Dr. Price, whose wife has been appointed director of the School of Nursing and Nursing

Service, will devote his full time to the activities of some thirty-three Baltimore clergymen who constitute the Hospital's visiting staff.

In the School of Medicine, Robert L. Bacon, associate professor of anatomy, has become associate professor of anatomy at the University of Oregon Medical School.

Robert E. Cooke has been appointed professor and head of the department of pediatrics, effective next June. Dr. Cooke, who will also be pediatrician in chief of the Johns Hopkins Hospital, is currently associate professor of pediatrics and physiology at Yale University, where he also received his B.A. and M.D. degrees.

George W. Corner, B.A. '09, M.D. '13, House Staff '14–'15 (Medicine), professor of embryology, has become professor emeritus.

Nicholas J. Eastman, professor and director of the department of obstetrics, is serving as professor of obstetrics at Hong Kong University during the current academic year.

Alan Foord, M.P.H. '54, Research Associate '48–'55 (Public Health Administration), assistant professor of pediatrics, has been appointed clinical professor of maternal and child health at the University of California School of Public Health. He has also been made assistant health officer of the city of Berkeley and director of the school health program of the Berkeley Department of Education.

Paul E. Molumphy has been appointed assistant professor of obstetrics.

Samuel R. M. Reynolds, lecturer in obstetrics, has been appointed professor and chairman of the department of anatomy at the University of Illinois College of Medicine.

Dean W. Roberts, House Staff '41–'42 (Medicine), '41–'43 (Pediatrics), M.P.H. '48, lecturer in public health administration, has been named executive director of the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults.

Leon Schlossberg, Medical Arts '32–'35, instructor in art as applied to medicine, has been elected president of the Association of Medical Illustrators.

Robert R. Wagner has been appointed assistant professor of medicine.

Thomas G. Ward, M.P.H. '40, DR.P.H. '41, associate professor of microbiology, has accepted an appointment as professor on the faculty of Notre Dame University and also as a member of the

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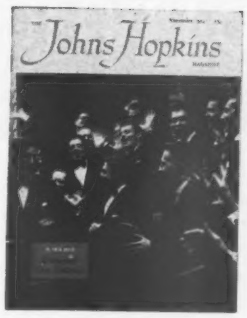

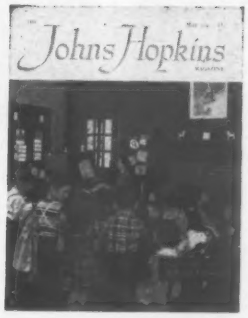

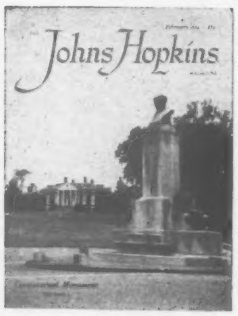

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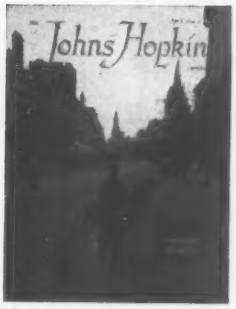

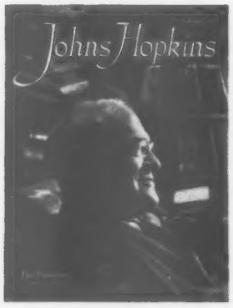

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EDITORS' NOTES
AN INFORMAL REPORT

And a Happy New Year to you. Our greetings come in the form of a gift that we hope will bring you pleasure during the next twelvemonth: an illustrated calendar for 1956. With each month appears a seasonal picture of the Homewood campus of the Johns Hopkins University. It is a handsome place, as the pictures show. For those who have been here, perhaps the photographs will reawaken pleasant memories. For those who have yet to visit the campus, let the photographs be an invitation, cordially extended and always standing, to do so.

There has been a steady stream of letters, ever since this magazine was established, urging us to publish a portfolio of photographs of the buildings of this University. Johns Hopkins is a spread-out place, and in one issue we can make only a start in our photographic coverage of its physical plant. This month we concentrate on Homewood; in the future, we hope to turn our cameras on the rest of this institution.

Accompanying the picture on each page of the calendar is a résumé of events—some important, some trivial—that took place at Johns Hopkins in that month. Most of them have been culled from the University's first fifty years—and (not that anybody is likely to miss the idea, but we mention it anyway) much has been omitted. They are simply a few things that interested *us*—and we hope they will interest you, too.

On the page for February, space limitations prohibited us from mentioning a poem written by Sidney Lanier for reading at the University's fourth anniversary in 1880. These lines are lifted from Lanier's "Ode to the Johns Hopkins University":

And here, O later Pallas, long remain
Sit on these Maryland hills and fix thy reign,
And frame a fairer Athens than of yore
In these blest bounds of Baltimore,
Here, where the climates meet,
That each may make the other's lack complete;
Where Florida's soft Favonian airs beguile
The nipping North—where nature's powers smile.

The lines struck us with particular force because, as we copied them, the temperature had dipped to fifteen degrees, the radiator turned up full-blast was losing its battle against the cold, and Florida's soft Favonian airs had clearly beaten a hasty retreat.

Noted elsewhere in this issue, in our regular listing of books by Johns Hopkins men and women, is a new volume entitled *Six Maryland Artists* (Balboa Publications, Baltimore; $6.50). It has been published in a limited edition of a thousand copies or so, is edited by an alumnus, Alton P. Balder, and contains an introduction by George Boas, professor of the history of philosophy at Johns Hopkins.

We make special mention of it here because among the six artists represented is one whose work has often appeared in this magazine, Aaron Sopher. (The other five: Jacob Glushakow, Reuben Kramer, Herman Maril, Keith Martin, Glenn Walker.) Readers, we think, will find its presentation of his work, as well as that of the other artists, unusually rewarding.

The ancient alphabet pictured on last month's cover, according to the caption that we wrote for it, contained no consonants. A few alert readers have jumped on us for making this statement. "What did the language sound like?" one reader asked. "A foghorn?"

Excuse the error, please. Our caption *should* have read, "The alphabet contained no vowels." It was *all* consonants; nothing but.

Keyser Quadrangle at Homewood

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Homewood House

THE Johns Hopkins University had its beginnings on a campus in downtown Baltimore. "Campus" is perhaps the wrong word; "campus" implies lawns and trees, and of these the young University had virtually none. Johns Hopkins, the founder, had left to the University his suburban estate, Clifton, and it was generally assumed that eventually the University would move there. But, at the start, the buildings were in the crowded city. And in January, 1893, Baltimore's mayor proposed that the city develop Clifton as a public park.

So when the University did move, in the early 1900's, it was not to Clifton but to another spacious tract in northern Baltimore called Homewood. Homewood was originally owned by a signer of the Declaration of Independence, Charles Carroll, who had built a handsome home there for his son. On February 5, 1901, William Wyman and William Keyser offered Homewood to the University, and other friends offered adjoining acreage. Here a campus has been built, serving as the University's headquarters. Its buildings are Georgian in style, with the mansion built by Charles Carroll (*above*) furnishing the architectural motif.

January 1956

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Gilman Hall

FEBRUARY is the month in which the Johns Hopkins University formally opened its doors. On Washington's Birthday, 1876, Daniel Coit Gilman (until then president of the University of California) was inaugurated as first president. Washington's Birthday has, since then, been observed as the University's birthday, too.

In February (on the twelfth, 1880) the University conferred its first honorary degree, an LL.D., on Rutherford B. Hayes, president of the United States. On February 13, 1884, the University glee club gave its first concert (among the first tenors, Woodrow Wilson, who rendered "The Three Kittens" and "Champagne Song"; and among the second tenors, Albert Shaw, who seven years later founded *The Review of Reviews*). On February 22, 1886, the University's tenth anniversary, the official seal was adopted and diplomas were used for the first time. On February 28, 1890, students gave their first recorded theatrical presentation, a minstrel show at the Lyceum Theater which netted two hundred dollars. In February, 1901, after twenty-five years of service, President Gilman announced he would resign. Today the clock tower of the Homewood building named for him (*above*) dominates the campus, as does the spirit with which he imbued the University from the start.

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A Dormitory Courtyard

In March, 1922, the Rockefeller Foundation electrified Johns Hopkins by announcing the largest gift it had ever made—and the largest gift, not excluding the founder's, that the University had ever received. Six million dollars, the announcement said, would be given to establish a School of Hygiene and Public Health at Johns Hopkins—one million for building, five million for endowment. The School's first director: Dr. William H. Welch.

In March, 1916, the big stir among students concerned a petition that the YMCA was circulating to bring evangelist Billy Sunday to the campus. (The petition succeeded; Sunday spoke on April 14.) Less exciting at the time, but a sign of things to come, on the twenty-eighth the campus saw the first student military drill since the Spanish-American War, when a volunteer cadet corps had been formed. Seventy-four marchers turned out, and after several months the Army assigned an officer to train them. In March, 1917, the cadets drew up in formation for a solemn ceremony in front of Gilman Hall: the dedication of two flagstaffs to the memory of Robert (Bobby) Layfield, a Johns Hopkins quarterback who had been injured in a football game with Lehigh in 1914 and had died in March, 1915.

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In April, 1878, when the University was barely two years old, scholars in both the United States and Europe were talking and writing about Vol. I, No. 1 of *The American Journal of Mathematics*, which had just put in its appearance. "Publish!" was a dictum at the new University, and the new *Journal* put the dictum into practice. Many other journals were founded in the years that followed. (The Johns Hopkins Press, their publisher, is today the oldest continuously operated university press in America.)

April is the month of the establishment of an alumni association of New York, and April (on the twenty-eighth, 1897) saw the publication of the first issue of the Johns Hopkins *News-Letter*, the student newspaper that is still going strong today. April is also the opening month of the lacrosse season—a season of good cheer in Hopkins sporting history, with U. S. championships and trips to the Olympic games brightening the University's record books.

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MAY is the birth-month of Johns Hopkins, the Quaker merchant whose gifts were responsible for establishing the University and Hospital that bear his name. In May, 1889, the Hospital was formally opened.

On May 20, 1879, one of the first results of the growing research effort at the University was announced: Professor W. K. Brooks had succeeded in artificially inducing reproduction of the oyster. Professor Brooks conducted his work about two miles from Crisfield, Maryland, "a town on the half-shell."

In May, 1889, the first student yearbook appeared. Its title: *The Debutante*. (In 1890 it was called *The Medley*; in '91, *The Hopkinsian*. In 1892 it became *The Hullabaloo*—"a name decidedly more euphonious than appropriate or elegant," said a newspaper critic—and *Hullabaloo* it has been, ever since.)

On May 27, 1909, the Rockefeller General Education Board gave $250,000 to help speed the University's move to Homewood, a sum that was raised, through popular subscription, to over a million dollars by the end of the year. And on May 8, 1911, there were the first public rumors about the conversion of the Johns Hopkins Medical School professorships to a full-time basis, a revolutionary step in those days. Two years later, the General Education Board offered $1.5 million to finance it.

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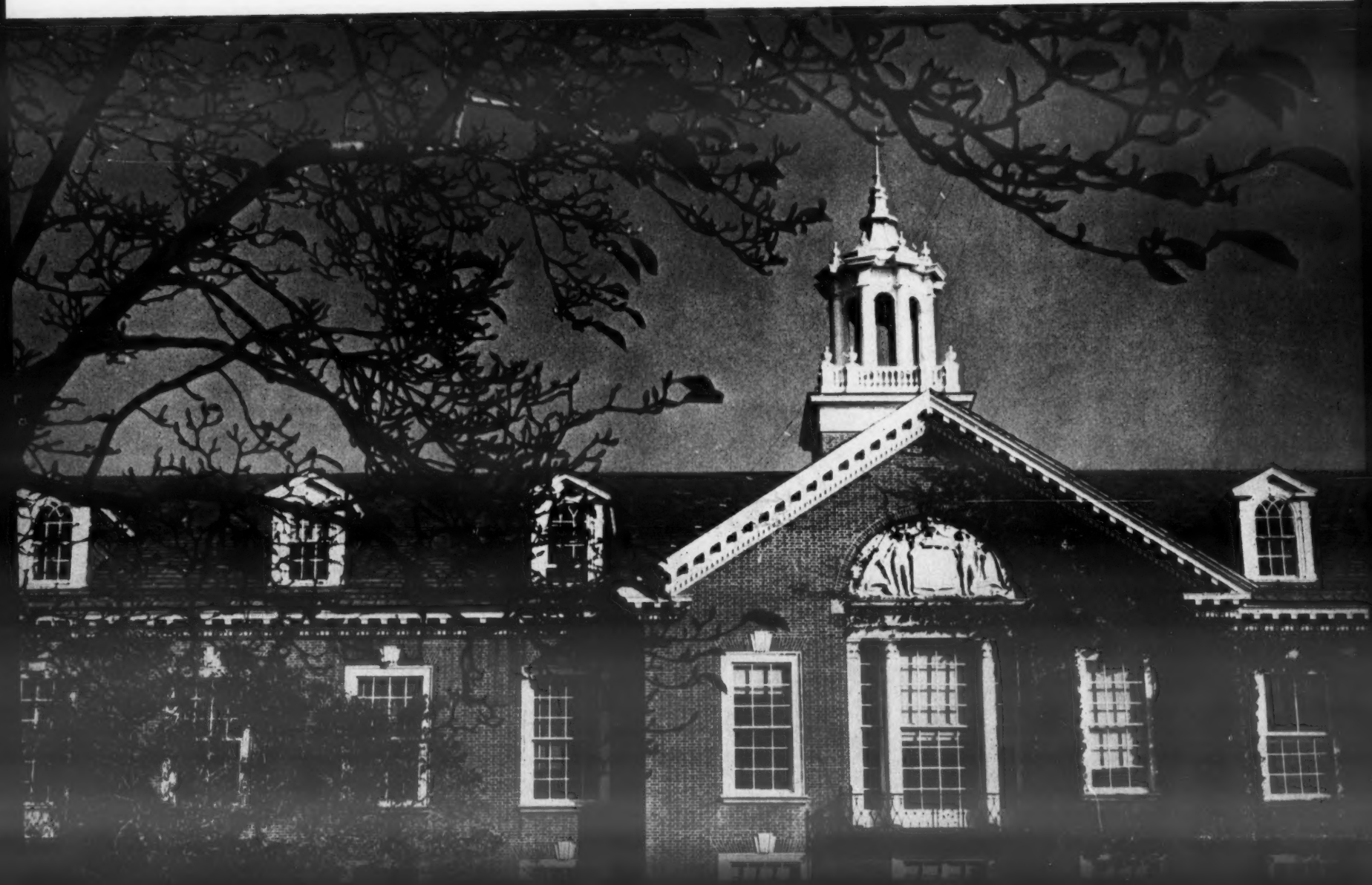

Maryland Hall

THE central fact of June, on university campuses, is commencement. (The 1956 date at Johns Hopkins: Tuesday, June 12.) Among the commencements causing widest comment at Johns Hopkins was that of June 13, 1893. The reason for the stir: the presence, in the graduating class, of a woman, Florence Bascom, who received a PH.D. in geology. Women were unheard-of in the early years of the University. "Horrors!" gasped the traditionalists, when Miss Bascom's achievement was announced.

On June 1, 1894, the alumni in New England met at Boston's Parker House to organize themselves. In June, 1908, it was announced that a steel magnate named Henry Phipps was giving more than a million dollars to the University and Hospital for the establishment of a psychiatric department—the largest gift, since Mr. Hopkins' own, that the institutions had received. Adolf Meyer was appointed to the directorship, and in 1913 the Phipps Psychiatric Clinic opened.

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Shriver Hall

In July, for several decades, the University was a sleepy place, with no one around but the janitors. In July, 1891, however, the town was a-buzz with talk about the plans for the coming Chicago World's Fair. Daniel Coit Gilman, president of the University, had been offered the post of chief of the department of liberal arts at the fair, but he declined. Herbert Baxter Adams, professor of history, got the appointment on July 24, 1891, but after three weeks' consideration, he declined, also. The World's Fair, which opened in 1893, was a great event. The University took great pains to prepare an exhibit, but another attraction, named Little Egypt, attracted larger crowds.

On July 5, 1911, Johns Hopkins opened its Summer School for the first time, and it was an instant hit. Designed primarily for teacher-education, in its first year its students numbered 335. A year later in Baltimore, on July 3, 1912, not far from the University where he had studied, Woodrow Wilson was nominated for the presidency of the United States.

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New Memorial Residence Hall

TODAY, even in August, the campus of the Johns Hopkins University is jammed with students' cars. But in earlier years, students walked—with a will. The Hopkins Tramp Club, an organization requiring all candidates for membership to walk in the company of two or more members for thirty miles, during the summer of 1888 walked from Baltimore to Pittsfield, Massachusetts—652 miles in twenty-eight days. A student named Hilles rolled up a record of 1,500 miles of walking in one year, and another member strolled sixty-nine miles in one long (nineteen-hour) day.

On August 14, 1912, James Buchanan (Diamond Jim) Brady announced he was giving $220,000 to Johns Hopkins for the establishment of a urological clinic, and on the same date in 1913 a contract was awarded for the erection of the first building of the new School of Engineering of the University.

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Old Alumni Memorial Hall

On September 12, 1876 (the anniversary, it was noted locally, of the Battle of North Point in 1814), the University's first term formally began. Thomas H. Huxley delivered the address to a crowded assembly, and the beginnings were auspicious.

By 1889, however, there were clouds on the horizon, due to the non-payment of dividends on Baltimore and Ohio Railroad stock, in which most of Johns Hopkins' wealth was invested. There was talk of financial disaster, and there were even rumors that the University would not be able to open in the fall. On September 13, President Gilman made an announcement: Johns Hopkins will open "with unimpaired efficiency," he said; and it did. An emergency fund of $100,000 was raised. But the tuition went up. Salaries were cut, and Gilman himself, reported the newspapers, had to give up his home and take lodging in a boarding house. The storm was weathered, however. The University was in good shape in September, 1914, when Frank Johnson Goodnow, a distinguished political scientist, arrived in Baltimore on the twenty-first to become the University's third president.

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THE first classes met on October 3, 1876. Basil L. Gildersleeve gave the first lecture on the fourth: "Greek Lyric Poetry." The tuition was eighty dollars a year.

In October, too (on the sixteenth, 1889), the Johns Hopkins School of Nursing opened. And on October 28, 1890, committees of women led by Miss Mary Garrett of Baltimore presented $100,000 to the University for use in setting up a School of Medicine. But there was a startling condition to the gift: women must be admitted to the School on equal terms with men. (Two years later, Miss Garrett gave $306,977, raising the Medical School fund to a half million.) On October 2, 1893, the School opened. Sixteen persons were in the first class, and three were women—one each from Wellesley, Smith, and Vassar.

On October 3, 1908, Gilman died.

In October, 1895, football was under heavy attack by many college presidents. On the eleventh, Gilman announced himself in favor of the sport; in favor of sports in general, for that matter. (Gilman had played freshman football at Yale and rowed on one of Yale's first crews.) In October, 1907, the new athletic field at Homewood was used for the first time.

October 1956

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In the autumn of 1876, the business of getting the University under way was proceeding actively. On November 11 came a significant paper: an invoice for 350 books from Europe for the Johns Hopkins library, the first in a series of important shipments. On that date, the number of volumes in the library totaled 3,875; by the end of the year, said a proud announcement, the five thousand mark would be reached.

On November 23, 1890, Baltimore was taken aback by the news that two students, attended by seconds, had secretly met in a park and settled an affair of honor. It is the only case of dueling on record. Each man shot his pistol three times at the other. But all shots missed.

In November, 1913, an honor system, under direction of a student-elected council, was introduced at the University. It still flourishes today. On November 10, 1916, it was announced that Johns Hopkins had offered, on the south side of its campus, a site for the Baltimore Museum of Art. On November 27, 1919, Baltimore's worst fire since 1904 swept through the buildings of the University's old downtown campus and wiped them out. A link with the past burned with them.

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THE University's Christmas tree will be lighted alongside Homewood House, and, in the old tradition, carols will be sung.

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research staff of the Lobund Institute there.

In the Faculty of Philosophy, Joseph D. H. Donnay, professor of crystallography and mineralogy, has been awarded the René-Just Haüy Medal of the French Society of Mineralogy and Crystallography. The medal was presented to Dr. Donnay by his colleagues, who wished to honor him as a former vice president of the society. He is the only American ever to have been elected an officer in the society.

Paul H. Emmett, Grace Professor of Chemistry, has given the Baker lecture series in chemistry at Cornell University. The lectures, given in November and December, were on "Current Ideas in Contact Catalysis."

In the School of Engineering, Stanley Corrsin, professor of mechanical engineering, has been awarded a Centennial Citation by the engineering faculties of the University of Pennsylvania. The citation, given to the most outstanding engineering alumni of the university, cited Dr. Corrsin "for research and exposition in turbulent flow and heat transfer, and for promise of continuing leadership in engineering."

THE ALUMNI

J. Albert Chatard, G. '98–'99 (Biology), M.D. '03, Fac. '05–'23 (Medicine), has been honored by his colleagues of the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of Maryland for his years of service to that group and his contribution to medicine in Maryland.

Charles G. Fenwick, PH.D. '12 (Political Science), has been awarded an honorary LITT. D. by Loyola College in Baltimore. Dr. Fenwick was awarded the 1954 Peace Award of the Catholic Association for International Peace.

Fred H. Linthicum, G. '12–'13 (Chemistry), M.D. '17, House Staff '17–'20, Fac. '18–20 (Surgery), has become professor emeritus of otolaryngology at the University of Southern California School of Medicine.

Wilson David Wright, Fac. '14–'22 (Chemistry), has been elected to membership in the National Academy of Sciences.

Thomas M. Rivers, M.D. '15, House

Staff '15–'18 (Medicine and Pediatrics), Fac. '17–'22 (Medicine and Bacteriology), has been appointed assistant to the president of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Hugh L. Dryden, B.A. '16, M.A. '18, PH.D. '19 (Physics), LL.D. (Honorary) '53, has been awarded the 1955 Wright Brothers Memorial Trophy by the National Aeronautics Association "for significant public service of enduring value to aviation in the United States."

James Burns Amberson, Jr., M.D. '17, has been appointed director of the New York Tuberculosis and Health Association.

C. Warren Black, B.S. '17 (Economics), has been elected a director of the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.

Frederic E. B. Foley, M.D. '18, Fac. '18–'19 (Pathology), has been awarded a Francis Amory prize by the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. The $3,500 awards are given every seven years for "the invention or discovery of measures for the relief or cure of diseases affecting the genito-urinary system." Dr. Foley was cited for "outstanding inventive and surgical genius productive of numerous contrivances, instruments, and operations of great value in the treatment of urological disease."

Emile F. Holman, M.D. '18, House Staff '19–'23, Fac. '18–'23 (Surgery), has been honored by a special issue of the *Stanford Medical Bulletin* on his retirement as head of the department of surgery at the Stanford University School of Medicine. He had been on the

Stanford Faculty for thirty years. In addition, a commemorative issue of the *American Journal of Surgery* was recently dedicated to Dr. Holman.

Max Levin, B.A. '20, M.D. '24, House Staff '24–'27 (Psychiatry), Fac. '25–'27, '40–'46, has been appointed associate clinical professor of neurology at the New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals, and associate visiting neurologist at the Bird S. Coler Memorial Hospital.

Ellsworth G. Marshall, G. '20–'21 (Chemistry), has been appointed professor of chemistry at Franklin College.

William G. Brombacher, PH.D. '22, Fac. '19–'22 (Physics), has been elected to a two-year term as secretary of the Instrument Society of America.

Laura Reed Clark, Graduate Nurse '22, has been appointed assistant professor of public health nursing at Ohio State University.

Lemuel R. Cleveland, SC.D. '23 (Hygiene), has been elected president of the Society of Protozoologists.

Millicent Carey (Mrs. Rustin) McIntosh, PH.D. '26 (English), LITT.D. (Honorary) '55, president of Barnard College, has been elected a member of the board of directors of the Columbia Broadcasting System.

Fuller Albright, House Staff '27–'28 (Medicine), has been chosen as the Upjohn Scholar of the Endocrine Society for 1955.

Anne Mattson Roebuck, McCoy '27–'28, '39–'40, has been appointed assistant professor of nursing at the University of Michigan.

Willard G. Rouse, Engineering '27–'28, McCoy '48, has been named "man of the year" for 1955 by the Baltimore Advertising Club.

John R. Webster, B.A. '27, headmaster of the Greenwich Country Day School, has been elected president of the Country Day School Headmasters' Association.

Winslow Roper Hatch, PH.D. '34 (Botany), has been appointed dean of the College of General Education at Boston University.

Richard F. C. Kegel, M.D. '34, has been elected a member of l'Association Française pour l'Etude du Cancer.

Walter H. C. Rueggeberg, Arts '34–'36, PH.D. '41, Fac. '46–'47 (Chemistry), has been made director of the chemical research department of the Atlas Powder Company.

Melvin A. Pittman, PH.D. '36 (Physics), has been appointed professor

of physics and head of the department of physics at the College of William and Mary.

Marie Margaret Ames, Graduate Nurse '37, has been made director of nurses of the Highland-Alameda County Hospital in California.

Virgil C. Scott, House Staff '37–'38 (Medicine), Squibb Fellow '41–'42, Fac. '41–'45 (Medicine and Hygiene), has been made professor of medicine at the American University in Beirut, Lebanon.

Horace Winchell Magoun, Rockefeller Fellow '39–'40 (Physiology), has been elected a member of the National Academy of Sciences.

Sigmond O. Diamond, B.A. '40, G. '40–'42 (History), has been appointed assistant professor of history at Columbia University.

Harold Goodman, B.A. '40, has been promoted to assistant professor of clinical radiology at the Medical College of Virginia and chief of the radiological service at McGuire Veterans Administration Hospital.

Easton Stuhr, B.S. '40, has been appointed head of the department of English at Lindsey Wilson College.

George S. Palmer, M.D. '41, House Staff '41–'42, '46–'48 (Pediatrics), has been appointed a member of the Board of Medical Examiners for the State of Florida for a four-year term.

Frances Cecilia Wickham, Graduate Nurse '41, Fac. '52–'55 (Public Health Administration), has been appointed assistant professor of public health at the University of Maryland.

Gilbert Jay Vosburgh, M.D. '42, House Staff '42–'43, Fac. '43–'50 (Obstetrics), has been appointed associate professor of obstetrics and gynecology at the Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons.

Reamur Donnally, M.D. '43, has been named advisory editor on medicine of the Encyclopedia Americana.

J. B. Rosen, B.E. '43, has been promoted to supervisor of the applied mathematics group of Shell Development Company's Emeryville Research Center, California.

Ilza Veith, M.A. '44 (History), PH.D. '47 (History of Medicine), has been elected secretary-treasurer of the American Association of the History of Medicine.

Aaron Wexler, M.A. '44, PH.D. '44 (Chemical Physics), has been made an associate director of the Westinghouse Research Laboratories.

Howard Arthur Joos, House Staff '45–'46 (Pediatrics), has been appointed associate professor of pediatrics at the University of Southern California School of Medicine and director of cardiovascular research at the Children's Hospital.

Chester B. Stewart, M.P.H. '46, DR.P.H. '53, Fac. '51–'52 (Epidemiology), has been appointed dean of the faculty of medicine at Dalhousie University.

William Becque, B.A. '48, has been made executive director of the Tuberculosis and Health Association of New Haven, Connecticut.

Carlton Cuyler Hunt, Fellow '48–'51, Fac. '51–'52 (Physiological Optics), has been appointed professor of physiology at the Albert Einstein College of Medicine.

J. Maclean Smith, Fellow '49–'50 (Medicine), has been appointed assistant professor of medicine at the State University of Iowa.

Mary Elizabeth Tennant, M.P.H. '49, has been appointed associate professor of public health nursing at Yale University. The appointment will be held jointly on the faculties of the Yale School of Nursing and the Yale Department of Public Health.

Howard S. Strausser, M.S. '50 (Civil Engineering), has been appointed assistant professor of civil engineering at the University of Washington.

Orlando Joseph Andy, Fellow '52–'53, Fac. '54–'55 (Neurological Surgery), has been appointed professor of neurosurgery and head of the department of neurosurgery at the University of Mississippi.

Ludwell H. Johnson, III, B.A. '52, PH.D. '55 (History), has been appointed acting assistant professor of history at the College of William and Mary.

Nathaniel Lewis Kaderly, PH.D. '52 (English), has been appointed associate professor of English at Mercer University.

John H. F. Brotherston, DR.P.H. '53 (Public Health Administration), has been appointed professor of public health at the University of Edinburgh.

DEATHS

Isaac A. Abt, Arts '86–'89; on November 22, 1955. Recognized as the father of pediatrics in Chicago, he administered the first diphtheria antitoxin in Chicago, recognized and treated successfully the first case of infantile scurvy in the Chicago area, and devised the first incubator for premature babies. Dr. Abt, who was professor emeritus of pediatrics at Northwestern University, edited for almost forty years the *Yearbook of Pediatrics*, and summed up his practice in the book *Baby Doctor* published in 1944.

Charles John Basile, House Staff '44–'46 (Orthopedics); on July 21, 1955. He had been on the staffs of the Meadowbrook Hospital, Nassau Hospital, and Mercy Hospital, Long Island, as a specialist in orthopedic surgery.

Albert J. Bossyns, G. '02–'03 (Geology); on October 20, 1955. He had been with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad before his retirement.

Richard Brenner, B.S. '41 (Economics); on October 17, 1955. He was assistant general counsel of the International Monetary Fund.

Julius Alexander Caldwell, M.D. '04, House Staff '04–'05 (Medicine), '05–'06 (Gynecology); on November 22, 1955. He was director of pediatrics at the Mountainside Hospital in Montclair, N. J., and in general pediatric practice.

Samuel James Crowe, M.D. '08, House Staff '09–'10, '12–'14 (Surgery), professor emeritus of laryngology and otology; on November 13, 1955. He was well known as the author of many articles and for his discovery of the radon treatment for deafness. Dr. Crowe, who had received an honorary SC.D. in '55, was a member of the faculty of the Johns Hopkins medical institutions from 1908 until the time of his death.

Robert Townsend Dade, Engineering '46–'48, Business '48–'50; on November 17, 1955. He had been a first lieutenant in the United States Air Force serving as a jet pilot in Germany.

Vladimir Triphon Dimitroff, SC.D. '25 (Hygiene); on September 20, 1955. Prior to his retirement he had been on the faculty of Paul Smith's College.

Mary Elizabeth Fittro (Mrs. Pasquale) Trasatti, M.A. '27, G. '27–'30 (History); in January, 1955.

Egbert Barrows Freyer, PH.D. '29

TWO PROFESSORS ARE DEAD

JACQUES MAROGER

Samuel J. Crowe

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Joseph L. Lilienthal, Jr.

(Chemistry); on November 13, 1955. He had been in charge of the central control laboratory of Spencer, Kellogg, and Sons.

Jonas S. Friedenwald, B.A. '16, M.D. '20, House Staff '20–'21 (Medicine), associate professor of ophthalmology; on November 5, 1955. In charge of the research laboratories of Wilmer Institute at Johns Hopkins, he was author of more than 140 published articles and books. Among the honors bestowed on Dr. Friedenwald were the Donders Medal of the Dutch Ophthalmological Society, the first Proctor Medal, and the Lucien Howe Medal for research in ophthalmology awarded by the American Medical Association.

George Webster Haupt, Hygiene '23–'24; on June 9, 1955. He had been on the faculty of science of Glassboro State Teachers College in New Jersey.

William Herbert Head, Jr., M.D. '50; on August 13, 1955. He had been a resident at the Gallinger Municipal and Georgetown University Hospitals in Washington, D. C.

Arthur J. Hearn, M.D. '21; on November 13, 1955. He was an orthopedic and fracture surgeon at Lawrence Hospital in Bronxville, New York.

Charles Elam Hope, Medicine '07–'09; on June 23, 1954.

Sarah Fenton Hoyt, Fellow '10–'12 (Semitics); on July 18, 1955. She was a teacher in New York City and had written many articles on religion.

Ralph Fairfax James, Arts '97–'99; on November 22, 1954. He had been in the advertising business prior to his retirement.

Joseph Leo Lilienthal, Jr., M.D. '37, House Staff '40–'42 (Medicine), professor of environmental medicine and associate professor of medicine; on November 19, 1955. He was well known for his studies in neuromuscular function and respiratory physiology.

William Edward McCulloch, G. '91–'92 (History); on July 26, 1952. He was a retired United Presbyterian clergyman and had been an associate editor of *The United Presbyterian*.

Luther Firey Miller, G. '07–'10, '14–'15 (Biology, Psychology); on June 17, 1955. He had been a Lutheran minister for almost forty years.

Sidney Wallace Murkland, Arts '02–'04; November 14, 1955. Prior to his retirement he had been comptroller of the Western Electric Company.

J. Howard Palmer, B.A. '99; on October 31, 1955. He was in the real estate business in Maryland.

Ralph Sherburne Perkins, M.D. '11; on October 2, 1955. Before his retirement, he had been an orthopedic surgeon in Worcester, Mass.

James Lee Robinson, M.D. '08, House Staff '08–'09 (Medicine); on September 15, 1955. He was a retired lieutenant colonel in the U. S. Army.

Harold Russell Sandstead, Teaching Fellow '39–'40 (Otology); on November 1, 1955. He had been a medical director at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Md. As director of the National Institute of Arthritis and Metabolic Diseases, he had carried on extensive nutritional research. Dr. Sandstead had been awarded the Order of Orange by the Netherlands government for his rehabilitation survey near the close of World War II.

William Herdman Schwatka, B.A. '06; on November 8, 1955. He was a retired Baltimore lawyer.

Lucius Ernest Smith, M.D. '15; on August 30, 1955. He had been a medical missionary in Spanish Guinea, West Africa, and executive secretary of the Kentucky Tuberculosis Association.

William Walker Strong, PH.D. '08 (Physics); on October 25, 1955. He was a consulting physicist. Previously he had been professor of electrical theory at the University of Pittsburgh and later on the faculty of the Carnegie Institute of Technology.

Jerome Strouse, Arts '00–'02; on November 5, 1955. He was a business executive.

Howard Chiles Thurman, Engineering '14–'15, Arts '15–'17, '19–'20; on October 13, 1954.

Winter Thomas Varner, House Staff '39–'40 (Obstetrics); on July 1, 1955. He had been a practicing obstetrician in Flushing, Ohio.

William Stewart Weikel, B.E. '22; on September 16, 1955. He had been with the General Electric Company as an engineer.

Calvin S. Wiley, Engineering '44–'45; on November 15, 1955. He was with the American Totalisator Company.

Judith Gambrell Wiley, Graduate Nurse '09; on October 14, 1955.

Ephriam King Wilson, Arts '90–'91; on November 7, 1955. An attorney, he was a vice president of the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.

Frederick Wallace Wilson, B.A. '93; on October 18, 1955. He had served for nearly thirty-two years as a circuit court judge for Oregon, in the seventh judicial district, before his retirement in 1948.

Alfred Beaver Yeomans, G. '92–'94 (Chemistry); on August 17, 1954. He had been a landscape architect until his retirement some years ago.

Charles Henry Young, G. '02–'04 (Romance Languages); on February 15, 1955. He had been an educator.

Helen Margaret Bassett, Graduate Nurse '37, was erroneously listed in this column in June. It was Miss Bassett's mother who died.

At Johns Hopkins

HOLIDAYS

CHRISTMAS RECESS—The Homewood Schools will suspend classes from Thursday, Dec. 22 through Wednesday, Jan. 4. The School of Advanced International Studies recessed on Saturday, Dec. 17 and will resume on Monday, Jan. 2. The School of Hygiene and Public Health will recess at 5 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 22 and resume on Monday, Jan. 2. The School of Medicine will recess from Saturday, Dec. 24 through Monday, Jan. 2.

VARSITY SPORTS

NOTE—No admission fee is charged for Johns Hopkins home athletic events, but an admission card is required. Persons who wish to attend games during the current University year may obtain a card without charge by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Department of Physical Education, the Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore 18, Md. Alumni of the University should address their requests for admission cards to the Alumni Relations Office, the Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore 18, Md.

BASKETBALL—Johns Hopkins vs. TOWSON TEACHERS on Saturday, Jan. 7 (away); NAVY on Wednesday, Jan. 11 (away); CATHOLIC on Saturday, Jan. 14 (Homewood Gymnasium at 8:45 p.m.); TOWSON TEACHERS on Wednesday, Jan. 18 (Homewood Gymnasium at 8:45 p.m.); WASHINGTON COLLEGE on Saturday, Jan. 21 (Homewood Gymnasium at 8:45 p.m.).

FENCING—Johns Hopkins vs. NAVY on Saturday, Jan. 21 (away).

WRESTLING—Johns Hopkins vs. WESTERN MARYLAND on Friday, Dec. 16 (away); DELAWARE on Wednesday, Jan. 11 (Homewood Gymnasium at 8 p.m.); SWARTHMORE on Saturday, Jan. 14 (away); TOWSON TEACHERS on Saturday, Jan. 21 (away).

TELEVISION

TOMORROW'S CAREERS—The Johns Hopkins University's television program: DEC. 24—The Physically Handicapped (repeat showing); DEC. 31—The Salesman (repeat showing); JAN. 7—The Archaeologist; JAN. 14—The Radiologist; JAN. 21—The Investment Banker; JAN. 28—The Public Servant. (Saturdays at 10 p.m., Eastern Time, over stations of the American Broadcasting Company network; in some cities the program is seen via delayed telecast, in which case readers should consult their local newspaper listings for day and time.)

ALUMNI MEETING

NEW YORK ALUMNI ASSOCIATION—A meeting will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 31. (Details will be announced.)

EXHIBITIONS

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN—An exhibition in commemoration of the two hundred fiftieth anniversary of his birth. (Monday, Jan. 16 through Tuesday, Jan. 31, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., at Evergreen House, 4545 N. Charles Street; closed Saturdays and Sundays.)

LOST CITIES OF BIBLICAL ARABIA—A special exhibition based on archaeological finds in South Arabia by Dr. William Albright. (Through Saturday, Dec. 31, at the Walters Art Gallery, Charles and Centre Streets, Baltimore.)

COMING EVENTS

COMMEMORATION DAY—The eightieth anniversary of the University's founding will be observed on Wednesday, Feb. 22 in a program celebrating the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Woodrow Wilson. University offices will be closed and classes suspended for the day.

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